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One dark brown or black horse; star on fore head; one white hind foot; blotched brand on hip. Will be sold at City Pound by auction, on Monday, November 19, at 12 o'clock, if not redeemed and pound charges paid on or before that date.

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THE MIGHTY DEAD.

Arrival of the Body at St. Petersburg—The Procession to the Cathedral.

Impressive Slavonic Service—Immense Crowds View the Corpse Lying in State.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 13.—The funeral train with the body of the late Czar on board arrived at the Nicholas station last night, and was shunted upon a side track. Shortly after 10 a.m. the imperial train re-entered the railroad station. The body was transferred to the hearse in waiting and conveyed to the cathedral through the densely crowded streets, guarded by thousands of troops. Every foot of ground along the route was occupied with spectators. The greatest masses of people were gathered in front of the Kasan, St. Isaac's and other churches, in front of which previous to the starting of the procession, the clergy stood in their state robes. Three salvos of artillery announced the arrival of the procession at exactly 11 o'clock. The route followed by the cortege was six miles long.

The Czar's Cossack bodyguard headed the procession, and was followed by other detachments of cavalry. Then came fifty-one standards, each escorted by officers. The first two flags and the last flag bore the imperial arms. Next came the horse of the dead Czar and a man in gilt armor, holding the sword of state and mounted upon a splendidly caparisoned charger led by two grooms in the state livery. Following this horseman came a second man in black armor, carrying a naked sword. He preceded a number of high officials who bore a mourning standard of black silk. Behind the standard was a retinue of officials bearing the standards of the various Russian provinces. The remainder of the procession, until the end of the twelfth section, was composed of high imperial and provincial functionaries, with their staffs of office and numerous other officers bearing different banners. The rear of the twelfth section was brought up by another detachment of officials, who bore on velvet cushions the late Czar's medals, orders and the imperial insignia.

The thirteenth and most important section of the procession, and the one for which everybody was waiting, was headed by the choirs of the Cathedral of St. Isaac and of the convent of St. Alexander Newski. Following the choirs were the clergy, bearing lighted candles, and behind them came the Czar's confessor, Father Yanyichieff, holding the image of St. Alexander Newski, the patron saint of the dead monarch. Behind the image of the saint came the hearse, drawn by eight horses. The tassels of the hearse were held by sixteen generals in full mourning uniform. Sixty pages carrying lighted torches walked on either side of the hearse. The hearse or funeral car consisted of a platform on wheels. The platform was covered with black cloth, with silver bands. The spokes of the wheels were also silvered. Columns stood at the corners, and from them was suspended a magnificent baldachin. At the foot of each column on the platform there stood a general. The coffin rested on a bier covered with black velvet. Over the coffin there was a great silver pall bordered with gold.

Behind the hearse came the Czar and the imperial household. They were followed by the King of Greece and the Prince of Wales. Then came a long line of gowned dukes and princes, followed by their various military suites. After the latter marched a detachment of grenadiers, and following the grenadiers came the imperial carriages with the ladies of the imperial and royal families. The other mourning carriages contained all of the royal and titled ladies, who have journeyed from Livadia with the body. After the carriages came thousands of troops of all armies, who brought up the rear of the procession. The multitudes along the route bowed reverently, crossing themselves. The draped gas lamps along the route shed a sickly light, which, combined with the mist, made a very depressing spectacle.

The scene at the cathedral was deeply impressive. It was only with great difficulty that Czar Nicholas, the Grand Duke, the King of Greece, the Prince of Wales and others carried the enormous coffin from the hearse to the catafalque. The coffin was placed with the feet toward the altar. When the lid was removed a golden and ermine pall was thrown over the body from the breast downwards. The solemn grandeur of the whole scene is indescribable.

The impressive Slavonic service of the dead opened with all in rapt attention, and as the strains of the glorious anthem "Rest With the Blessed," rose, rendered by the choir with exquisite sweetness and pathos, all knelt, many sobbing uncontrollably. Following the anthem the Metropolitan read hope inspiring passages of Scripture. Then came the closing scene.

The chief mourners slowly and singly mounted the catafalque, reverently kissed the pale hand of the dead Czar, and left the building in silence. Afterwards they repaired privately to their allotted quarters in the various palaces. They returned at 8 p.m. to assist at the solemn office of the dead, which all officials are expected to attend daily until the burial.

During the chief service a great mourning banner was hoisted at the fortress, after which the troops returned to their barracks. Thousands of persons picked up as mementos the twigs of pine and cypress with which the roadways were strewn. Dinners were given to 50,000 poor this evening.

An enormous crowd passed in line and viewed the dead Czar's face as it lay in the cathedral. The lying in state will continue until the day of the funeral. Constant masses will be celebrated. President Cleveland of the United States was represented in to-day's ceremony by Minister Breckinridge and the entire staff of the U. S. legation, and by Lieutenant Roberts, naval attache at Paris. The American colony sent twenty wreaths to be placed in the Czar's coffin.

It is expected the Czarina will accompany her father, King Christian of Denmark, after the obsequies of her husband. Until the funeral takes place two requiem services will take place daily, one at 11 o'clock in the morning at which the Czar alone will be present, and the other at 7 o'clock in the evening, which the entire imperial family will attend.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—The wreath sent to St. Petersburg by Queen Victoria to be placed on the dead Czar's bier is heart shaped, five feet high, and bears the inscription, "Temoignage d'amitie et d'estime de son affectionee soeur et parente."

CABLE NEWS.

Russian Cabinet Changes.

BERLIN, Nov. 14.—The Cologne Gazette's St. Petersburg correspondent says; Foreign Minister De Giers, Gen. Vannovsky, minister of war; Gen. Gourko, military governor of Warsaw, and the military governors of Moscow and Vilna will shortly tender their resignations to the Czar.

Norwegian Elections.

CHRISTIANA, Norway, Nov. 13.—Returns from the Storthing elections are complete, except in the case of two seats. Rights and Moderates have elected 53 members; Lefts, 59.

The Czar's Marriage.

LONDON, Nov. 13.—A dispatch to the Times from Berlin says that the marriage of Czar Nicholas to Princess Alix has been absolutely fixed to take place November 22.

Earthquakes in Bolivia.

LAPAZ, Bolivia, Nov. 13.—There have been violent shocks of earthquake along the northern coast of Chili and in this country. One hundred people have been killed by seismic disturbances within a radius of 40 miles from the city. A cathedral here has been rendered unsafe; one tower was thrown down.

Notes.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—The New South Wales Assembly to-day adopted a motion setting forth that it is desirable that negotiations looking to Australian confederation shall be re-resumed.

A boarding house in Elberfeld, Prussia, was burned last night. Seven occupants were burned to death and several others are missing.

The Queen arrived at Windsor Castle this morning in excellent health.

Argument upon the order for winding up the affairs of the Beaver Line Steamship Company of Canada was adjourned yesterday in order to give time for the liquidator appointed in Canada to be represented.

A Frenchman named Eugene has been arrested in Toulon charged with having murdered and robbed a priest in a London lodging house. He was impersonating the priest when arrested. The body of the priest was found hanging to the bedpost. Eugene has confessed.

The subscription lists of the Quebec loan closed this morning. The figures are not yet obtainable.

The Pope has again been requested to condemn certain workingmen's associations in the United States, but he refuses to interfere in the matter further than make the reference to the associations complained of in his coming encyclical letter.

The great Sicilian land owners have met in Palermo to organize for the purpose of defeating the government's plan of agrarian reforms on the island. This reform is to be presented to the consideration of parliament in a bill for the division of the large holdings. The government's object is to allay the suffering of the agricultural populace and to prevent the recurrence of the revolt last winter. Among the many politicians at the meeting last night was the Marquis of Rudini, ex-premier. The land owners resolved to form a society to defend their interests and to petition parliament against the bill.

FRASER VALLEY RAILWAY.

Rumors of Its Purchase by an English Syndicate Who Will Operate the Road.

TACOMA, Nov. 13.—It is announced that an English syndicate has contracted to build the Fraser Valley & Burrard Inlet railway, fifty-one miles long, from Sumas, Wash., to Vancouver, B. C., providing the city of Vancouver gives the promised subsidy of $550,000 and grants an extension of one year's time, or to December 31, 1895, in which to build the road. The line was to be finished by December 31 next, but the business depression prevented it. The arrangement is that the Englishmen shall take the subsidy and then build, own and operate the road.

By a traffic agreement already provided for, the line will be in reality a branch of the Northern Pacific running into the Canadian Pacific territory, as originally intended. The Northern Pacific's object, it is said, is to cut rates to Vancouver, if the Canadian Pacific railway cuts rates into its territory. If the extension of time is granted, the line will be built early in the summer. Over $60,000 has been spent on it to date.

THE OPIUM DUTY.

Protest Against Its Being Charged on the Covering Matter of the Drug.

The council of the board of trade at their meeting on Tuesday discussed an interesting matter which was not included in the memoranda of proceedings furnished to the reporters, who were by resolution of the council excluded from the meeting. This arose out of the following letter:—

To the President and Council of the Board of Trade:

SIRS:—On behalf of the Chinese opium refiners of the province, we have the honor to request that the seal of the board of trade may be affixed to a communication to the Hon. the Minister of Trade and Commerce, Ottawa, asking that the leaves and rubbish lying between the outer shell, or covering, in which the opium is packed, and the crude opium, may be allowed for as tare, and the duty of $1 per pound now charged on same be levied only on the opium itself. The communication referred to has already been signed by the managers and agents of the several steamship and railway companies having offices in the city, as well as by a number of merchants. The petition is now in our hands. Anticipating your kind consideration in this matter,

We are, yours obediently,
McPHILLIPS, WOOTTON & BARNARD

It is stated that the letter was the subject of a lengthy discussion, resulting in the adoption of the following resolution on a vote of six to three: "Moved by H. E. Connon, seconded by J. H. Todd, that the board of trade recommend the petition to the Dominion government that the refuse attached to the balls of opium be exempt from duty, the same as the shell covers."

CANADIAN NEWS.

Hon. H. G. Joly and the Leadership of the Quebec Opposition.

An Octogenarian Commits Suicide—Attempted Train Wrecking at Stratford, Ontario.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

Lighthouse Keeper Drowned.

MONCTON, Nov. 14.—John Roberts, lighthouse keeper at Belledune, Gloucester county, was drowned last night. When he reached an angle in the road he neglected to turn and went straight into the Belledune river. The man was asleep and intoxicated.

A Distressed Man's Fortune.

WINDSOR, Nov. 14.—Michael Cavana, a laborer, has fallen heir to an estate in Galt worth $30,000. He had to borrow money from the chief of police to pay his railway fare to Guelph.

Shot by Accident.

BRANTFORD, Nov. 14.—A. Chapman, near Kelvie, shot at a rabbit. The bullet went through a window and killed the five-year-old son of W. Thompson.

Mr. Joly Not Ambitious.

QUEBEC, Nov. 14.—To a reporter Mr. Joly de Lotbiniere denied this morning that he was a candidate for the Quebec opposition leadership.

Attempted to Wreck a Train.

STRATHROY, Nov. 14.—Two men named Fife and Johnson have been arrested here on a charge of attempting to wreck the Erie limited on the Grand Trunk near here on Sunday. The men had placed coupling pins in the switch points.

An Octogenarian Suicides.

STRATFORD, Nov. 14.—Thomas Headley, aged 80, committed suicide by taking poison. He said he was old and only in the way.

U. S. Congressman Dead.

TRENTON, Nov. 14.—Hon. Byron B. Wright, of Susquehanna, Penn., who was re-elected to Congress from the Fifteenth district of Pennsylvania, at the recent election, died here last night of typhoid fever.

TORONTO TOPICS.

New Offices for the Street Railway—Electric Postal Car Service—An Alderman Guilty of Corruption.

TORONTO, Nov. 14.—(Special)—William McKenzie, president of the street railway, is reported to have paid $55,000 for the Kiely building, at the northwest corner of King and Church streets, and will make it into offices for the company.

Ex-Alderman E MacDonald is suing the Toronto World for $2,000 damages for alleged libel in connection with the attacks on the promoters of the Georgian bay aqueduct scheme. The aqueduct company is also suing the World for the same amount for alleged libellous statements about the company.

The post office authorities will probably introduce an electrical postal car service in this city.

Judge McDougall has handed to the mayor his report on the recent investigation into the alleged deal between certain aldermen and the tenderers for the establishment of a civic electric lighting plant in this city. The Judge finds that Ald. William T. Stewart, chairman of the fire and light committee, has been on two occasions wilfully guilty of corruptly accepting a bribe of money from the manager of the Bush Electric Company, of Cleveland, Ohio, for the openly avowed purpose of securing votes and the influence of himself and other aldermen in favor of the acceptance of that company's tender.

The Moody meeting this evening is for people who are not in the habit of attending church or religious gatherings of any kind. Mr. Moody urges that the ticket distributers see to it that the bar-rooms are especially looked after. Mr. Moody says he expects more good to be done to-night and to-morrow than at all the other gatherings of the week.

MONTREAL MATTERS.

Hon. Mr. Laurier Meets His Supporters—"A Yarn Pure and Simple"—Outbreak of Diphtheria.

MONTREAL, Nov. 14.—(Special)—Hon. Wilfred Laurier was in town yesterday and met a number of followers and arranged for a series of meetings throughout Quebec and Eastern Canada. Election matters were generally talked over.

Vice-President Shaughnessy, of the C.P.R., was interviewed on a dispatch from San Francisco, stating that the Peru had brought Eastern advices that the captain of the Empress of China had offered to take a hand in the Japanese-Chinese war, and would ship the Empress's guns from the C. P.R. shorehouse at Yokohama, Mr. Shaughnesy said that the report was a yarn pure and simple, and that the captain had no such powers as the dispatch purported to assign to him.

Since Sunday scarlet fever and diphtheria have suddenly become epidemic here, and were declared so at a meeting of the civic health board to-day. Seventeen cases of scarlet fever and diphtheria are known to exist in the Protestant infants' home and in the foundling home there are twelve cases. There have been five deaths. The Catholic institutions have not yet been heard from, but a number of cases are reported in the northeast portion of the city. The outbreak is of a sporadic nature. An attempt is being made to bring large quantities of anti-toxine here.

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NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Vancouver Assizes—Successful Concert in Aid of the Cooperatvie Colony—Heavy Fog.

From the Kootenay Country—What the Miners Are Doing—Successful Operations.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, Nov. 14.—The joint Westminster bridge committee have had a long meeting in the Westminster town hall. Nothing of importance was done. It was decided to submit the three amended plans to Engineer Cooper.

The charity concert in aid of the sufferers from the landslide at the Co-operative colony was a success financially and artistically.

The fog was so dense yesterday that the steamer Charmer could not be seen a few feet from the wharf, but Captain Rudlin, skilled by long service, made as good a landing as ever he did.

In the Assize court Justice Drake, in the case of Guiseppe Apello, charged with abducting a 15 year-old Italian girl, allowed the prisoner to go if he promised to marry the girl, but to appear for sentence if he did not do so. The grand jury brought in a true bill in the case of J Gill, charged with fraudulently raising money on land. Gill will be arrested.

In the police court Josey Rivers was fined $50 for supplying an Indian on the schooner C. D. Rand with whiskey.

KASLO.

From the Nelson Miner.)

Kaslo river is the subject of much expectation. Four of the Chinamen who flocked there nearly two months ago kept steadily at work with the result that, at or near bed rock, they discovered some very rich gold dirt. A sample of one pan was shown here, and there was over one dollar's worth of gold in it. The Chinamen's labors have been closely watched by interested citizens, and the results they have obtained have led several parties to locate claims. Opinion is very much divided as to the richness of the ground, but "facts are chiels that winna ding," and there is the gold to be seen. Three claims were staked on Monday and two on Tuesday. Old timers shake their heads at the news and say it won't pay, that the river has been worked before, and indications of that fact are still to be seen. It also remains to be seen whether they are right or wrong. Anyway the Chinamen are making money.

NELSON.

(From the Miner.)

A much needed improvement has been completed in the building of a sidewalk to the steamer Spokane from Front street.

The wagon road is said to be in very bad shape in some places.

J. L. Retallack is building a large ore warehouse near the steamer Spokane.

A mule train of "Yosemite" ore arrived Friday. McDonald Bros. are doing the hauling. There was probably about two tons in the consignment.

News reached here Monday that E. E. Coy had been severely hurt by a portion of rock in the tunnel on the Pauper's Dream falling upon him. The tunnel is in about 215 feet, and work has been kept up continuously on it since summer. The injuries as first reported were alarming, but have since moderated.

A correspondent, in whom entire confidence may be placed, writes: I have just returned from Midway in the Lower Okanagan, where I went through a few of the mines. There cannot be a doubt about that district being a rich gold-country. Camp McKinney is sending out gold bricks regularly and Fairview is looking better than it ever did.

The first annual meeting of the Nelson Hydraulic Mining Co. was held in the company's office on Monday last. The directors presented a report of the progress of the company, which has been so frequently noted in our columns that there is no necessity to repeat it. Mr. John Elliot was elected a director in the place of Mr. J. F. Hume, resigned, and the other members of the board were all re-elected. Some important alterations of the by-laws were discussed and left to the board to carry out.

ROSSLAND, TRAIL CREEK.

(From the Nelson Miner.)

On the Kootenay Phil. Aspinwall and Jack Thompson will start a tunnel this week. This is a fine proposition, showing $65 in gold and five per cent. copper.

On the Cliff John R. Cook is steadily at work. The mine is opening up very good and they now have four feet of solid ore, with 65 tons on dump which will be shipped when the snow comes. This ore gives $30 gold and four per cent. copper.

In the I. X L., adjoining the O. K., stoping is going on in two or three places, and ore of the same quality as the O. K. is being got out, but no plant has yet been put in. The recent survey of these claims by Mr. F. Ritchie throws the line of the I X L over on to the O K., covering their tunnel for some 40 feet; the two mines are therefore using the same tunnel, and the I X L is taking out ore which was thought to have been located by the O K. people.

At the Le Roi a large boarding house and hotel are approaching completion. They are still sinking on the shaft below the 300 foot level, and the ore comes up richer than ever. Burleigh drills will be put in at once, and they will ship some 30 tons a day, as they have a clear face of 300 to 400 feet of ore to work on, and will probably put out between 3,000 and 4,000 tons this winter. It is understood that all this shipment will be made from Trail landing.

A personal visit to the O K. shows the work to be in progress. The tunnel is in 300 feet and the quartz vein matter cut it in several places and shows up well at the end of the tunnel. A five stamp mill is in full swing and gives concentrates worth $500 per ton. The tailings will also be rehandled, as considerable gold passes out with them. A jigging machine with copper table has just been put in and will start work next week. Mr. J. Y. Cole and Mr. Oudin are both on the spot and Mr. Litchfield is helping them.

The War Eagle is working about twenty men, sinking two shafts and running a tunnel. They will begin shipping ore on November 4. They are working in ore yielding $60 in gold and 12½ per cent. copper. Steam power will be obtained from the Le Roi mine and Burleigh drills put in next week. The new shaft will join the tunnel and will be completed in about a week when the bond on the property will be taken up. On the north side the ledge is opening grandly and is now 6 feet 10 inches wide. The ore chute is 900 feet long by 9 feet broad and all in sight is ore. Once stoping is started 100 tons a day can be taken out as easily as one ton, and when opened out another 200 feet she will put out 250 tons a day. This property gives every promise of becoming a mine sooner than any other in camp.

The camp generally looks bright and active and the town already has three hotels and three stores and about twenty other buildings. The business of the townsite is in the hands of Mr. W. M. Newton. The location of the town on the high benches at the head of Trail and Sheep creeks, with the best mines almost adjoining the townsite, affords a most convenient and accessible site, with a good down grade from all the mines. The camp is extremely well supplied with roads and the new road to Newport gives a good outlet to the south.

LOBB ACQUITTED.

Judge Bole Minutely Reviews the Evidence Adduced—Only a Brief Deliberation.

VANCOUVER, Nov. 14. — (Special) — In Justice Bole's charge to the jury in the Lobb case this morning the evidence was minutely reviewed, the Judge saying that in his opinion the shot could have been self-inflicted at the distance mentioned, from 13 to 15 inches from the body. It was for them to decide whether it was probable. The jury were reminded that when the fatal shot was fired only four persons were in the room, husband, wife and two children, therefore the revolver was undoubtedly discharged by Mrs. Lobb or the prisoner. In this case it must be conclusively proved that the prisoner fired the fatal shot with homicidal intent to warrant them in bringing in a verdict of murder. A definition of homicide was given and the jury were informed that it was in their province to bring in a verdict of manslaughter. In the present instance the evidence was wholly circumstantial. The rules of evidence, particularly of a circumstantial nature, were then most exhaustively examined. The first question they had to ask themselves was is the evidence consistent with the theory of the Crown? If they agreed among themselves that it was consistent with that theory and no other, it was their duty to bring in a verdict of murder or manslaughter. If the evidence was inconsistent with the theory of the Crown it was their duty to acquit, or if they held a reasonable doubt, not for the purpose of shirking the responsibility, but as conscientious, reasonable men, it would be their duty to acquit. The whole case was before them; every member of the jury had a right to his opinion. Be the consequence what it may, let every man do his duty and be guided by the all-wise dispenser of events. They must take the matter under their full and complete deliberation, and may God guide them to do what is right.

The jury retired at 11.20, Justice Bole's charge having been of an hour and twenty minutes' duration. The court was adjourned for fifteen minutes, but at 11 30, or after ten minutes deliberation, the jury returned with a verdict of "not guilty." Justice Bole asked the policeman to liberate the accused. Mr. Lobb was very much affected. His brother hastened to his assistance and the liberated man, weeping bitterly, left the court.

REAL ESTATE MIX-UP.

Withdrawal of a Charge Which Was Laid Only Through Misapprehension.

The case against Messrs. Winnett and Cooper, instituted on the information of P. B. Eteson, came up on remand in the police court yesterday morning, pursuant to the adjournment which had been made to give the magistrate an opportunity of looking into the facts. When it was called Mr. Elliott, who appeared for the private prosecution, renewed the application for permission to withdraw the information, feeling satisfied that the accused had acted in good faith as set forth in the following statement:

A Victoria solicitor acting as agent for the owner of the property, who resided in England, authorized the defendants to sell it, the purchase price and commission to the defendants being not then definitely settled, but any offer made by them was to be net to the owners, the agents thus being left to make their commission out of the buyer. The defendants had the property in their hands for some time, real estate being inactive. Finally the prosecutor, having noticed their advertisement in the local papers, called at their office and inquired about the price and terms. Winnett & Cooper asked $225 per acre, to which the prosecutor demurred, but at length offered $200 per acre. At a subsequent interview Mr. Cooper told him the very lowest price was $215, and when the prosecutor agreed to buy at that price Mr. Cooper told him the property had been left with them by a law firm in Victoria, that the owner was in England and the deeds would have to be signed there. The prosecutor said that would suit him as he also had to get his money from England, and he paid down $150 to bind himself. Part of the $150 was paid over to the solicitor, who said he would have to get the owner's approval before accepting finally. In the meantime the owner had gone to Egypt, and the necessary correspondence took a very considerable time. When the prosecutor's money arrived he was anxious to complete the purchase, but when word came from the owner it was that he disapproved of the terms of sale. A week or two before the charge was laid, Cooper and the prosecutor had a talk when it was understood the sale was likely to fall through, Cooper promising in that case to return the deposit in a few days. The prosecutor called for his money on Friday last, and was told to come in next morning when he would receive the amount in full. Instead of doing this the prosecutor consulted Mr. R. Elliott, who being unacquainted with the parties and not cognizant of all the circumstances, advised a prosecution and a charge was accordingly laid on Friday. On Saturday morning the money was ready according to promise and counsel having in the meantime become aware of all the circumstances and the nature of the misunderstanding, was averse to continue proceedings which might cast a reflection upon the name of the defendants and therefore approved a withdrawal of the charge.

The Magistrate having informed himself of the facts stated his belief that the defendants had acted entirely without wrongful intent and that it was a matter for regret that they had been placed in this unpleasant position. He was very glad therefore to find himself able to allow the charge to be withdrawn, and accordingly the affair thus came to an end.

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ja28-tf C. DUBOIS MASON, Secretary.

"ST. ANDREW & CALEDONIAN SOCIETY." Society meets in Caledonia Hall, Blanchard street, on the first Friday in every month. Visiting brethren are invited to attend. E. C. Smith, Secretary. my4-1m

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Notice is hereby given that an extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Company's office, Quesnelle, B.C., on THURSDAY, the 29th day of NOVEMBER, 1894, at 2 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of taking into consideration the advisability of placing a sufficient portion of the capital stock of the Company under the control of the Directors to enable them to deal with a proposition now under consideration, particulars of which will then be placed before the meeting.

By order.
W. A. JOHNSTON, Secretary.

Quesnelle, B.C., Oct. 13, 1894. oc25

MUNICIPAL :: ELECTIONS

1895.

Householders' Qualification.

All persons wishing to qualify under the above qualification, as voters for the ensuing Municipal Elections for the year 1895, in accordance with Clause E of Section 37 of the Municipal Amendment Act, 1894, can do so by calling at the Assessor's Office, City Hall, and making the necessary declaration on or before the 30th day of November, instant.

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RAILWAY CHANGES.

End of the Agreement Between the C. P. R. and the Great Northern Railway.

SEATTLE, Nov. 14.—Within the next ninety days it is understood that a disruption will take place in the present Canadian Pacific-Great Northern line between Seattle and Vancouver, B.C., which will include the through service between Whatcom (at which point the Great Northern and the British Columbia and Bellingham Bay road, which is controlled by the Canadian Pacific, connect and transfers of cars are made by the respective road) and Seattle. In other words, the Great Northern after January 31 will no longer be a part of the Canadian Pacific through route between Eastern points and the Pacific Coast.

It is stated upon good authority that General Superintendent Farrell about ten days ago from Spokane wrote Mr. Harry Abbott, general superintendent of the Canadian Pacific, that on the date indicated the Great Northern would terminate the arrangement now in existence. Three months' notice was necessary in order to conform to the agreement made between the respective companies prior to entering into the covenant.

Neither General Agent McGinnis nor Contracting Agent Scroggy of the Canadian could yesterday throw any light upon the subject. The Canadian Pacific will not have to resort to steamer service between Seattle and Whatcom in order to connect with the Bellingham Bay road, as the Seattle, Lake Shore & Eastern railway connects with the line at Sumas and affords a good communication. In fact there has been for the last year a "community of interest" between the two lines, and under the comprehensive and conservative management of Receivers Brown and Bryant the intercourse between the two lines has developed a fine business in which both roads have equitably participated.

The loss of the Great Northern line will not be severely felt by the Canadian line. In fact, it is believed the route in connection with the Lake Shore will be more satisfactory than the present one. The Great Northern reaches New Westminster, B.C., at which point they had, previous to entering into the existing agreement, a fair freight and passenger business. On freight business they will have to use to Vancouver B C., the Rosalie line to Victoria and Captain John Irving's line, Victoria to Vancouver. In passenger traffic they will probably ticket to New Westminster and transfer to the electric road running to Vancouver.

DISASTROUS EARTHQUAKE.

Portions of Japan Severely Shaken—Heavy Loss of Life—Fires.

TOKIO, Japan, Oct. 30.—(Correspondence of United Press per steamer Peru.) Japan has been visited by another disastrous earthquake. Sakata, a town on the northwest coast, suffered the most severely. The seismic force was exercised chiefly in a vertical direction and its effects were exceptionally disastrous. Houses tumbled down before their inmates could escape, the ground was fissured in many places and poured out muddy water which converted the streets into rivers, and as invariably the case, the horror of the calamity was accentuated by a conflagration that broke out in thirteen different places simultaneously and destroyed 2,500 houses in three hours. Two houses were actually swallowed up and one wealthy merchant had no less than 48 warehouses burned down. In one dwelling a whole family of seven perished, being crushed to death. In another nine met with a similar fate, and a group of terrified citizens who had taken refuge at the base of a colossal bronze vase standing in front of the town hospital were killed by the fall of the vase. Altogether some 300 persons were killed and about 200 were wounded in Sataki and the surrounding districts, while the number of houses destroyed by fire was over 2,500 and about an equal number were shaken down.

STORMY TIMES.

Great Destruction in England, France and on the North Sea From the Prevailing Gales.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—Along the English channel steamers report having had fearful passages. The warships anchored at Stemale, France, were in serious danger and put to sea flying distress signals. Cherbourg and other ports are crowded with damaged craft. The storm was very violent in Paris, three persons were killed by falling chimneys and several more were injured. The velocity of the wind as recorded on the Eiffel tower was 82 miles an hour. Deaths and injuries due to the storm are reported from Nantes, Rouen and other towns in France. The loss of property and live stock by the floods in Devon, Cornwall, Dorset, Somerset and elsewhere in England is enormous.

The bark Leif, belonging to Drammen, Norway, has been wrecked at Dover and three of the crew drowned. Other cases of drowning are reported from different places.

The hurricane which has prevailed all along the coast of the North sea has done a great deal of damage and considerable loss of life is reported. The telegraphs throughout Germany have suffered greatly from the storm, and in many sections they are wholly prostrated.

TROUBLES IN LIBERIA.

A British Ship Illegally Landing a Cargo is Fired Upon—Twenty-Five Persons Killed.

LONDON, Nov. 14.—A dispatch from Sierra Leone, West coast of Africa, says:—"The master of the British steamer Ambriz recently notified the Liberian officials at Montorvia of his intention to land a cargo at Settra Kroo. The officials forbade him to do so on the ground that Settra Kroo is not a port of entry and it would be a breach of the revenue laws to land a cargo there. The master defied the officials, upon which the Liberian gunboat fired at the boats landing the steamer's cargo, killing twenty-five persons.

FRANCE AND MADAGASCAR.

A Heavy Sum Voted by the Deputies for a Campaign.

PARIS, Nov. 14 — General Mercier, minister of war, introduced in the chamber of deputies to-day a bill granting 65,000,000 francs to defray the expenses of the proposed campaign in Madagascar. The bill was referred to committee. General Duchesne will command the Madagascar expedition. It is not expected that active operations will begin before next May.

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WAITE'S POPULISM.

Colorado's Governor on the Curses of the Times and Their Remedy.

DENVER, Nov. 13—Governor Waite shows his belief in populist doctrines by issuing the following statement in connection with his Thanksgiving proclamation:

"The soil and the bowels of the earth have responded to the energy of man; art and science have flourished as never before in the history of the world; wonderful strides have been taken in the knowledge of adapting the materials of nature to the advanced requirements of advanced civilization; wealth without limit is ready to spring forth under the magic touch of industry, skill and intelligence; but, withal, the overshadowing threat to our civilization is the constant recurrence of commercial and industrial panics, which blight the lives of millions of able-bodied and skilful beings. Monopoly—robbery—under the form of law—is the curse of our times, and withers the best physical and mental energies of the people, and while we may be exceedingly thankful for a genial climate and unbounded resources, let us bear in mind that only through a conscientious regard for the industrial rights of all the people can the blessing of religious and economic freedom be permanently established."

NEW ZEALAND MUTTON.

Great Improvement in the Sheep Business of the Colony.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 13—J. and S. Jackson, leading sheep farmers of New Zealand, are in the city. They are contemplating a tour of the world, having left New Zealand, their native country, in April. They say that though prices for mutton and wool are low, the sheep business is pretty good yet. "New Zealand is a far better country for sheep than Australia," said J. Jackson. "Last year our country sent about 2,000,000 sheep in refrigerators to England. In New Zealand now are about 20,000,000 sheep, and in Australia 100,000,000. In some parts of New Zealand we get fifty-four inches of rain, which makes an abundance of grass. Some of the best land carries four to five sheep to the acre. Our breeds are Lincoln and Romney marsh, with Merinos on high and hilly ground. There is also some crossing with Leicester and other varieties. Our grass is all English and Scotch. There is no native grass. What we have is lark's foot, ryegrass, congress, clover and white clover, golden crested dogstail and meadow foxtail."

CHICAGO POLICE.

Bad State of Affairs—Dismissal of Thirty Officers for Neglect of Duty.

CHICAGO, Nov. 14.—The chief of police yesterday dismissed thirty police for neglect of duty on election day. Besides these eleven officers are under suspicion for failure to arrest those who killed Collainder. The council has offered a reward of $500 for the arrest of the ballot box raiders, but all have so far kept under cover. It is charged that the men must have escaped by the connivance of the police. Determined efforts are being made to hunt down and punish the murderers of Gus Collainder and all those who disturbed the police and violated the law on election day. Three great organizations, the Marquette Club, the Union League and the Civic Federation will co-operate in the work. A fund of $30,000 to defray the expenses of the investigation will be raised.

BANK OF MONTREAL.

Annual Statement—A Dividend of Five Per Cent. Declared—Interesting Figures.

MONTREAL, Nov. 14.—The half-yearly statement of the Bank of Montreal to October 31st was issued to-day. The balance of profits and loss to April 30, 1894, was $804,715 33; profits for half-year to October 31, after deducting charges for management and making full provision for bad and doubtful debts, is $604,862 10. A dividend of 5 per cent. is declared, which amounts to $600,000. The balance of profit and loss carried forward is therefore $800,577 63.

POST OFFICE PAY.

(From the Nelson Miner.)

We cordially sympathize with the clerks and letter carriers of the Victoria post office who went out on strike because they did not receive the pay that was due to them. Our sympathies, however, are with them as persons deprived of their just rights, not as strikers. An extra allowance of $10 a month is made to these men in order to make their wretched salaries, which may be good enough for Eastern Canada, come up to a British Columbia standard. We wonder whether many of the irregularities of the post office from which we suffer may not arise from an attempt to get various carriers, to whom the mails are entrusted, to do their work for the rates that prevail in the East. If so, it is not to be wondered at that they are sometimes careless. The situation has been considerably complicated in Victoria by the suspension of all the striking employes by order from Ottawa. This is a distinct blunder. The matter was on its way to a peaceable settlement. The men had shown themselves reasonable and ready to accept the assurance of the board of trade that endeavors would be made to have their grievances lightened. This false step on the part of Sir Adolphe Caron, the postmaster-general, is only on a par with the wretched and antiquated service which Canada puts up with, but which would not be tolerated in any other part of Her Majesty's dominions. Canada has a great deal to be proud of, but she should veil her head when visitors come to inspect her postal arrangements.

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The Cattle are well bred; a much larger herd could be farmed with the place. The bunch grass on the hills in the vicinity covers many thousands of acres, and is available to the few land owners in the valley.

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"Fire Insurance Policy Act, 1893."

NOTICE is hereby given that His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor in Council has further postponed the commencement of "An Act to secure Uniform Conditions in Policies of Fire Insurance," from the 1st day of April 1894, until the 1st day of April, 1895.

JAMES RAKER,
Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office,
29th March, 1894. fe10-td

NOTICE.

Yates Street, between Broad and Government Streets, is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

September 10, 1894. se11-tf

NOTICE.

All parties having any claim against the estate of William Boon, of Chimney Creek, are required to file the same with me on or before the 1st day of December, 1894.

A. ISNARDY,
Executor.

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SAMUEL JOHN BOOTH.
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New Westminster Route:

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going east Monday.

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For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at 7 o'clock.

For Sidney—Wednesday, at 7 o'clock.

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For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

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JOHN IRVING, Manager
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent.
Victoria, Sept. 1st, 1894.

GEO. A. SARGISON

NOTARY PUBLIC,

Accountant & Agent,

48 LANGLEY ST.

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1894.

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THE PRESIDENT.

It is remarkable that while the Democratic party in the United States has been routed horse, foot and artillery, so little has been said against its leader and in every way its most prominent member, Grover Cleveland. The political opponents of the Democratic party have had very little to say against the President, and now, after the contest is over, the only men who censure him belong to his own party. There must be some reason for the immunity from abuse which President Cleveland has enjoyed during the election campaign. Is it because he has won for himself the deep respect of thoughtful and truly patriotic men of all parties in the United States? We believe it is. President Cleveland has proved himself to be in a most important crisis a man who has no other object than the welfare of his country. He has shown that his patriotism is pure and sound, and that he possesses in a great degree moral courage of a very rare kind.

When the business of the country and the happiness of millions depended upon the action he should decide to take on the silver question, he, in the face of great difficulties, took the course, and continued in it, which the best men in the United States and in other countries believe was best calculated to carry the country safely over a most important crisis. He allayed alarm, and prevented a ruinous panic by assuring the country that the Government would continue to redeem its paper with gold; and when he found that confidence was not restored by what he had done, he called an extraordinary session of Congress to repeal the Sherman law. When difficulties were raised by men of his own party and when it appeared that his continuing to uphold the cause of sound money would create a split in the Democratic party which might greatly weaken it and keep it permanently divided, he continued firm. He did all that a man in his position could do to facilitate the passage of the bill in the Senate and to reassure the country. If he had wavered in the least or given the slightest hint that he would agree to a compromise with the silver men the very worst effects to the business of the country would have certainly followed. Being convinced he was right and knowing that the welfare of the country depended upon his firmness he did not yield in the slightest degree to the immense pressure that was brought to bear upon him. He was and he remained immoveable. The stand he then took gained for him the respect, not only of the best men of his own party, but of the opposition to his Administration, and some of the latter had the manliness publicly to express their opinion of his conduct.

His assertion of the authority of the Federal Government during the great railway strike, proved to friend and foe that he is a cool, clear-headed man, who has the courage to do what he believes to be right independently of party considerations.

On the question of tariff reform he was true to his promises and his principles. Though the policy he pursued placed him in antagonism to powerful men of his own party both in Congress and out of Congress, he did not swerve an inch from the path which he considered both political honesty and the interests of the country required him to follow. Here again he won the approval and extorted the admiration of men who did not agree with him on the question at issue. They saw in him a man who is true to his principles, and who is bound, come what may, to be as good as his word, and they no doubt in their hearts paid him the tribute which is always paid to true worth and to sterling integrity.

It is, we submit, to the respect and esteem which President Cleveland fairly won in times of great difficulty that his freedom from personal and political attack during the late campaign is due. Many of his opponents refrained from assailing him from principle, and those of them who were not restrained by principle soon found that vilification of President Cleveland did not take with the people.

THE GOLD LOAN.

The determination of the Government of the United States to borrow fifty millions of gold coin does not surprise those who have any knowledge of United States finance. In order to maintain public confidence the Government *must* be in a position to redeem its paper with gold—and its ability to do so must be well and widely known. The expenditure of the United States Government has been for some time greater than its revenue. For instance, the expenditure for September was some $13,000,000 greater than the revenue. A few months of such deficit would exhaust the Government's cash balance, and it would have nothing but its gold reserve to draw upon. The rule is that that reserve must be kept at $100,000,000. Whenever it has gone much below that figure there have been uneasiness and alarm in business circles. It had a day or two ago gone down to $61,000,000, and there is not, we presume, a prospect of soon getting back to what is regarded as the safe minimum sum of $100,000,000, and consequently to maintain confidence and to be secure in case of any unusual drain on the reserve, the loan of fifty millions has been decided upon. The rate of interest, as the reader knows, is high. Five per cent. for a Government loan in these days is very high, but the Secretary of the Treasury wants gold, and the high rate of interest is offered in order to induce those who have gold to lend it to the Government. Secretary Carlisle will, no doubt, soon get all the gold he asks for, and we would not be surprised if a considerable premium were offered. There does not appear to be any want of money in the States, and confidence in the Government as a borrower is unbounded.

NEW ZEALAND LEGISLATION.

Much has been heard of the advanced legislation of New Zealand. Its admirers describe it as the perfection of legislation for the people by the people. But there is, it seems, another view to be taken of it. The Sydney Morning Herald describes one of the measures of the New Zealand Government as too absurd in its provisions to be looked upon in any other light than as an elaborate piece of humorous sarcasm. It refuses to believe that the bill is intended to be a measure of practical legislation. It affects to believe it to be a kind of political joke, and that "the island colony has evolved a master of humor in comparison with whom such representatives of the genial art as Mark Twain and Jerome K. Jerome will seem very small fry indeed." It then goes on to say:

The case as we understand it is this: Under the rule of a Labor Ministry in New Zealand some extraordinary measures have been brought into the Legislature, and some of them have passed into law. They have possessed the usual characteristics of this kind of legislation. They have been crude, unpractical, lavish in promises to give everything to everybody at the expense of everybody else, and stamped by unlimited abject servility to the workingman. This has been going on for some time, till at last the occasion has brought forth the man, and someone possessing the high genius for satiric humor has by way of *reductio ad absurdum* produced a burlesque bill in which all the features of this kind of legislation are embodied in a strain of effective caricature and pungently satirised; the result being a piece of incisive political irony to match which we must go back to the work of Jonathan Swift.

This bill is described in the Morning Herald as the "Undesirable Immigrants Exclusion Bill." It was introduced into the New Zealand Legislature by the Hon. Mr. Reeves, Minister of Education. We reproduce the extract from the Morning Herald to show the readers that New Zealand legislation is not regarded as perfect or even as reasonable by a respectable Australian newspaper which has the best opportunities of examining it and of observing the effects it produces. The article, which is a long one, is in the same strain throughout. It treats the measure as if it were the production of some clever humorist whose object it was to make the legislation of New Zealand utterly ridiculous. Its concluding sentence is as follows: "In the hasty glance we have taken of these remarkable provisions we have left it to the perception of the reader himself to enter into the enjoyment of the crowning joke of all, which is that this crowning piece of political banter and satire which would have afforded pleasure to Voltaire, the arch-master of persiflage, was successfully passed off on a serious Minister of Education as a genuine bill, and was by him solemnly introduced into Parliament, where it appears to be likely to stay."

COLD COMFORT.

The New York Times, which is a Democratic paper, in a slashing article on the defeat of David B. Hill, Democratic candidate for Governor of New York, has no mercy on the beaten and disappointed Tammany leader. It expatiates ruthlessly on his mistakes and his offences, and thus reminds the country of what he has lost:

Yet David B Hill went to his bed last night under the humiliation of an appalling defeat. The people have judged him, and their judgment is in itself a warrant of execution. Everything is lost—the Governorship, the Lieutenant-Governorship, the Court of Appeals Judgeship, the Assembly, a majority of the Congressional delegation. The rout is complete. Yet this is a great Democratic State, and Senator Hill has labored night and day for half a score of years to bring to its highest efficiency the machine that yesterday carried him to his ruin. Is the demonstration convincing? Do the Hill Democrats still cherish a belief in the permanent efficacy of the Hill methods in politics? Will they demand another test?

The tone of this article makes it easy to see how the Democratic party was routed in New York. It was not only a divided party, but a party paralyzed by internal dissension. There is not a Republican newspaper in the State that rejoices more heartily over Hill's defeat than the Democratic Times.

PRACTICAL TREATMENT.

The Toronto Telegram discusses the trade question in the following practical way:

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With the aid of a twenty-five per cent. duty a Toronto firm is manufacturing band instruments that command the Canadian market, and are as good as the best instruments made anywhere in the world. The Canadian gets his horn as cheap as he could buy it in England or the United States, and the money that would employ outside artisans and enrich foreign manufacturers is kept in the country.

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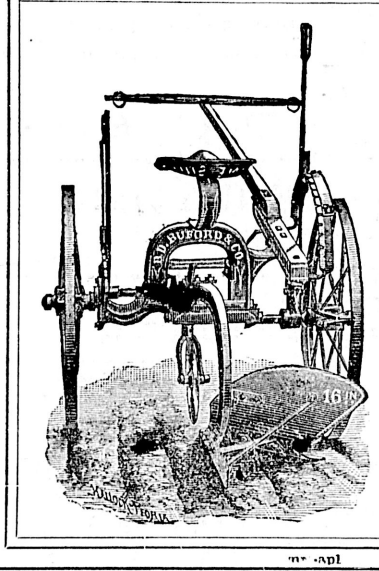

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THE CITY.

THE telegraph wires failed north of Nanaimo at about half-past eight last night.

THIS evening the exhibition celebration general committee meet at 8 o'clock in the city hall to wind up the business.

THERE will be a sale of work on Saturday at the Refuge Home, Cormorant street, children's wear being a specialty. It commences at two o'clock.

IN accordance with the rules of the fire department Chief Deasy is making an inquiry into the origin of the fire at Thorpe & Co.'s soda water factory.

A BUSINESS meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Temperance hall. A large attendance is requested as business of special importance is to be brought before the meeting.

A BREAK occurred somewhere on the Rock Bay circuit of the fire alarm system yesterday, and in consequence eight boxes are affected. The trouble could not be located yesterday and further search will be made to-day.

THERE are four candidates writing for the preliminary and twenty-five for the qualifying civil service examinations which are being held under Rev. Dr. Campbell at the city hall this week. The examinations will last five days.

THE "Historical Album of the Queen's Own Rifles of Canada" has been received from the Toronto News Co. The little book is fully illustrated, and is a neat souvenir of one of the crack volunteer corps of Canada.

THE hon. treasurer of the B. C. Protestant Orphans' Home thankfully acknowledges the receipt of $16 in aid of the orphanage, collected at an open meeting of Somenos lodge No. 9, I.O.G.T., held at Somenos, B.C., a few days ago.

QUITE a commotion was caused at the Dominion hotel yesterday morning by the advent of a welcome guest, who though having no thought of changing his quarters has not yet registered. The new arrival was a fine boy, weighing 14 pounds, born to the wife of Mr. Harvey, who had arrived here on the San Francisco boat with her husband, with the intention of continuing on the journey to Vancouver. The boy is to be called "Dominion," in honor of the house.

AT the Four-Mile house, on Tuesday night, over one hundred invited guests participated in a social hop given by Mrs. George. The room in which the dance was given was prettily decorated by the Misses Calvert, while all the other arrangements for the event were exceedingly well looked after. A fine supper was spread at midnight. The guests were from all parts of Saanich, Sooke and Happy Valley, while many were in attendance from Victoria. The music provided was good. Altogether the hospitality of Mrs. George was much appreciated.

THREE railway men from Montana spent Monday and Tuesday very pleasantly in Victoria. They were J. P. Rogers, chief train dispatcher of the Great Northern at Kallispel; Jerry Flanigan and E. A. Logan, passenger conductors of the same line. It was their first visit to Victoria, and when they left they declared the town to be all right, as also a number of people whom they met here. After the election in Montana they concluded to take a little trip as passengers, and while each of the jolly trio are of a modest disposition they claim that the Great Northern is furnishing the public the finest service on the continent. They will visit Portland and San Francisco before returning to cold storage in Montana.

A MEETING of the voters of the Oak Bay school district took place in the school room on Tuesday evening, when the voters present approved of the site chosen by the trustees for the erection of the new school house on Foul Bay road. The present temporary school is found to be too small for the number of children attending, as the number is increasing every week. The member for the district, Mr. Eberts, will apply at the present session of the legislature for the purchase of the site and for the erection of a two-roomed school house. The site is on the Pemberton property, on the east side of Foul Bay road, not far from Oak Bay avenue. Over thirty children are attending the school now, and when the new school is built the number will be greatly increased.

THE show of distinguished beauty, transfixed by famous artists, which is now taking place at the Academy of Fine Arts in New York, has been anticipated by The Cosmopolitan magazine in its November issue, in an article by Wm. A. Coffin, with illustrations of some of the more beautiful faces. The "Great Passions of History" series has for this month's subject the romantic career of Agnes Sorel, who influenced the destinies of France under Charles VII. "The Art Schools of America," "The Great British Northwest Territory," "The Chiefs of the American Press," and the "Public Library Movement," are amongst The Cosmopolitan's table of contents. Survivors of the war and their children will find intense interest in "The Story of a Thousand," a personal narrative begun in this number by Albion W. Tourgee, who tells in a graphic way of a regiment which saw fierce service—of its organization, its marches, its sports, and its death roll.

THE Seattle P.-I. says: Caroline Rackstraw yesterday petitioned Judge Langley for the probate of the will of her daughter, Louisa E. Rackstraw, a variety actress known in this city as Lulu Rose, who died in San Francisco October 25, 1894, aged 30 years. The estate consists of two unimproved lots in Tacoma, one unimproved lot in Victoria, one house in Butte, Mont., ten acres in section 8, township 22 north, range 5 east, and certain personal property. The will was also filed with the petition. It is dated November 19, 1890, and devises all the property of deceased to her mother, who is appointed executrix without bonds. The will contains the following provision: "I do hereby disinherit each, every and all other persons from receiving or inheriting any part or portion of my said estate; and I do hereby further declare that I am a single woman, and that all of my estate is my own separate estate, and acquired by me by and through my own labors and exertions."

FIFTY dollars was the amount of the fine which Magistrate Macrae yesterday imposed in the remanded case of Marymont, found guilty of having attempted to smuggle a number of watches upon the occasion of his recent return from Port Angeles.

A MAN named Eck was taken in charge by the police yesterday on suspicion of having done night work in connection with the sewers, in the way of removing lumber, lamps and other paraphernalia, without the knowledge or consent of the contractors. The police are tracing the stolen property.

MRS WATT'S lecture at St. Ann's convent to-morrow will be upon "The Characteristics of Dickens." This closes the first half of the series. Course tickets for the latter half (ten lectures) will be for adults $2 50, girls $1 50. No parents ought to let their daughters miss this opportunity.

THE ladies' committee of the Jubilee hospital return thanks to all who so kindly assisted by donations and otherwise in making the charity ball in aid of the hospital a success. The total receipts were $457; total expenses, $79 30; leaving a balance of $377.70, which has been handed Mr. W. M. Chudley, the hon. treasurer.

THE legislature will be occupied to-day in the consideration of the address in reply to the Lieutenant-Governor's speech at the opening. It is understood that this will be moved by Mr. R. P. Rithet, M.P.P. for Victoria, and that the seconder will be Mr. A. W. Smith, the member for West Lillooet. The house meets at 2 o'clock.

THE new proceedings commenced by the sanitary officer against Young Brothers, for keeping pigs in their now famous pen on Johnson street, will not be continued. The objectionable animals it appears were removed before the summons was issued. Their modern suburban residence was completed on the very eve of the day when the sanitary officer was shocked to find that they had not yet left town, and all unconscious of his new attempt to drive them out they willingly trotted away.

SOME two hundred persons attended the reception last night given by the Y.P.S.C.E. of the First Presbyterian church to the members and friends of the Y.M.C.A. The hall was decorated for the occasion with plants and ferns. The affair was all the more enjoyable from the perfectly informal manner in which it was carried out. A good programme was rendered, each piece of which received well merited applause. Choice refreshments of coffee, cake, sandwiches and fruit were dispensed at the close of the programme.

WITH the combined efforts of Columbia lodge No. 2, I O O F., and the Rebekah Degree lodge No. 1, a thoroughly enjoyable social and dance was provided in the Odd Fellows' hall, Douglas street, last evening, in celebration of the latter's anniversary. The musical and literary part of the evening's programme included a recitation by Mr. Graham, a piano solo by Mrs. Duck, a song by Mr. Douglas, some glass music by Mr. Tweedy, a song by Mr. Collins, and a song by Mr. J. Hawkes. When this part of the programme was concluded refreshments were served and a social hop followed to the music of the Bantly family orchestra. There was a large attendance at the performances.

BABY'S PICTURE.

A Rush to Take Advantage of the Colonist's Offer of Free Photographs.

Mothers generally the world over consider their own babies the sweetest and prettiest in existence, and Victoria mothers are no exception to the rule. Every young mother likes to have a portrait of her little one to show her friends and to treasure up in after days when baby has grown to manhood or womanhood. Getting baby's picture taken in these days is really looked upon as a duty that must not be overlooked. Now, the COLONIST is giving a chance for mothers to get baby's photograph for the nominal sum of ten cents. All that has to be done is to cut out six coupons of different numbers appearing in the COLONIST and bring them, together with ten cents, to the COLONIST office and a handsome cabinet photograph can be secured without charge. Arrangements have been made with the Imperial studio to make the portraits, which will be beautifully finished and first class in every respect. Since the beginning of the month a regular stream of coupons have been flowing in every day and the number of babies already photographed is very large. The mothers recognize that the chance is too good to miss, and have therefore hastened to take advantage of the offer, which is good for this month only.

FALL ASSIZES.

A Light List of Cases to Present to the Grand Jury.

The Victoria fall assizes open on Tuesday next, Mr. Justice Drake presiding. The list of cases is not largh, and it is satisfactory to see that though some of the offences charged are serious there is an absence of the graver crimes. There are one case of escaping from jail and three charges of keeping disorderly houses. Hall and Smith will answer to a charge of obtaining money under false pretence by passing a bogus bill, while two cases of theft, one of assault and an attempted suicide will be dealt with. The full list is:

Regina v. Flynn, escape from jail.
Regina v. David, theft.
Regina v. Jackson and McDonell, keeping a disorderly house.
Regina v George and Ucum, assault.
Regina v. Rowbotham, attempted suicide.
Regina v. Aheren, theft.
Regina v. Hall and Smith, obtaining money under false pretences.

These will be all the cases unless more are sent up from the police court between this and the assizes.

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PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD.

Recommendations From the Teachers' Institute on Manual Training in Schools.

Trustee Marchant Counsels Moderation in Whipping—Promotion Examinations Discussed.

There was a full meeting of the school trustees last night, when some important questions came up. One was in connection with a proposition from the principals of the graded schools to change the methods now in vogue of having all pupils take the examinations. The other was a letter and resolutions from the Teachers' Institute recommending manual training in the schools. Both matters went over for future consideration.

Principal McNeill asked for a number of supplies for the North ward school and also that the school ground near the building be levelled as water stands on it now in the rainy weather. Referred to supply committee to act.

TRUSTEE GLOVER stated that the contractors had not paid any attention to Mr. Day's notification to attend to the necessary alterations on the North Ward school boiler and pipes. He moved that the board engage a plumber to do the work and deduct the cost from the balance due the contractors. This was agreed to, provided the contractors did not take action within forty-eight hours.

Miss Cameron, principal of the South Park school, complained that the roof leaked in her room. Referred to supply committee to act.

The Secretary of the Teachers' Institute wrote that four teachers were absent from the last meeting of the institute. It was decided to ask the absentees to send in their explanations in writing.

Wm. Huxtable, janitor of the Central school, asked that the $20 extra formerly allowed him during the winter months be continued. Granted.

The principals of the graded schools asked re promotion examinations that it be left to the individual principal of each school to decide the number of children who should try for the promotion examinations.

TRUSTEE MARCHANT thought that it would be advisable to allow the teachers to decide what children were eligible to write at the examinations.

Mr. McNeil, principal of the North Ward school, stated that all might be allowed to write at midsummer, but not at the half yearly examinations unless the parents decidedly wished it. In his own school there were a large number of pupils who had only been there a short time, and consequently were, as yet, unfit to write. He thought it would be too great a strain on them to force them all to compete. His objection to the present system was that it was harmful to send up children to compete and then have them fail.

THE CHAIRMAN said the present system was adopted last year, because some parents complained formerly of favoritism when their children were not allowed to compete. The present system had been brought in after much consideration, and it should not be changed hastily.

TRUSTEE LOVELL bore out the chairman's remarks and advised the board to go slowly in making a change.

TRUSTEE MARCHANT said there would be no hardship to any pupil if each one who wished might be allowed to compete. On the other hand, a pupil who was forced to take the examination and felt unfit to try, would feel very much discouraged by failure to pass. The principals probably knew what was best, and he moved that the principals' request be granted, with the proviso that every pupil who wished to compete should be allowed to do so.

TRUSTEE LOVELL seconded Trustee Marchant's motion.

TRUSTEE LEWIS thought all the children should take the examination.

The Chair suggested that the matter lie over till next meeting, whereupon Mr. Marchant withdrew his motion and the letter was laid over till a meeting to be held not later than the last week in November.

Mr. Groat, on behalf of the Central School Supply Company, offered to sell the board maps made in relief to show the contour of the countries and the height of the mountains.

Trustee Marchant moved that the matter be referred over to next year's board. Carried

The average actual attendance at the schools for the month was 1870.71; daily average attendance, 1836 25; pupils actually attending, 2,123; average per teacher, 45 17.

The following letter was read from the secretary of the Teachers' Institute:

VICTORIA, October 30, 1894.

Mr. B. Williams, Secretary School Board, Victoria, B.C.:

SIR:—In obedience to the request of the board of school trustees, I send you an informal report of the meeting held for the purpose of obtaining the opinions of the teachers on "Manual training in the city schools."

A special meeting was held in the council chambers on November 2. The teachers were decidedly in favor of having manual training in the public schools, but they thought, with the present limit tables and the number of subjects to be taught, we ought first to have yearly instead of semi-annual examinations.

It was the general opinion of the meeting that the hand and eye of the child should be trained at the earliest stage of school life, and that we should have kindergartens established as soon as possible. Trained teachers could easily be engaged in San Francisco and they could take in pupil teachers from the High school and train them for the work.

The teachers were of opinion that the question of expense and the actual carrying out of the scheme were not within their province, but the time that should be devoted to manual training was one they could deal with. Some thought it best to have night schools, and in addition to the work a course of lectures could be given on "Industrial Drawing, "Practical Chemistry" or "Applied Mechanics." Others were opposed to night schools, and thought the time should be taken either before or after the present school hours. The manual training should be carried on through the public and high schools, and we should have a Normal school where teachers could be trained in their own "techna" or trade. It was the opinion of a great many of the teachers that there were altogether too many subjects on the High school course, and it would make room for more useful work if some of them were struck off.

Hoping you will excuse this disconnected report, as it has been made chiefly from memory, and that it will give you a better idea of our opinions on the matter than if I simply enclosed the resolutions passed at our last meeting,

I remain, your respectfully,
E. G. LAWSON,
Sec. Teachers' Association.

The following is a copy of the resolutions passed at a meeting of the Teachers' Association held on the 9th of November, 1894:

Resolved: "That the Teachers' Association recommend yearly High school entrance and Public school promotion examinations, to be held at Midsummer."

"That it would be advisable to establish kindergartens in the cities of this Province; to continue the training of the eye and hand in the public schools by means of object lessons; and to provide a special teacher in connection with each High school, to give manual training of an advanced nature after hours to all pupils of the city schools desiring it."

"That we, the teachers of Victoria, desire to represent the urgent need of a Normal training school for our Province"

E. G. LAWSON,
Secretary Teachers' Association.

The usual batch of bills was ordered paid if found correct.

Mr. St. Clair, physical instructor to the schools, in his report for October, stated that he found the physique of the boys fairly good but their carriage slovenly. The younger girls are the best of all the children, but the larger girls were generally weak. In proficiency and deportment North ward leads for the month, South Park and Girls' Central following. Classes are being organized for pupils and teachers. Referred to the gymnasium committee.

TRUSTEE MARCHANT moved that a special committee be appointed to confer with the Collegiate Institute teachers regarding affiliation with on Eastern university. Trustees Marchant and Lewis were appointed.

TRUSTEE MARCHANT had heard three complaints of the abuse of the rod in schools. He was sorry that the parents would not allow him to use their names. He had known, however, of several instances where teachers had trespassed over the line of reasonable castigation. He did not ask for an investigation, but he thought the board should show its disapprobation of any undue use of the rod. If the papers would make this public it would perhaps have the desired effect.

TRUSTEE GLOVER had also heard complaints of undue whipping.

The subject was then dropped, and after some further routine business the meeting adjourned at 11 o'clock.

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SELF-DENIAL WEEK.

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The Salvation Army are preparing for their annual week of self-denial, which will be celebrated throughout the Dominion of Canada and Newfoundland from December 1 to 8 inclusive. The money which has been raised in other years through this remarkable agency is eloquent testimony to the Army's development and activity. All members of the Army as well as the numerous friends of its institutions, are asked to abstain from some or all luxuries, and in some cases officers and soldiers have determined to live actually on bread and water to raise their share of the local contribution.

The Army has made several advances during the past year, especially in its social operations. General Booth, founder and leader of this mighty movement, will visit Victoria on January 2 and 3 of the new year. Wonderful receptions have been tendered him by all classes throughout the Eastern provinces and in the United States, where he is now travelling. Adjutant Archibald, who has the work of the reception well in hand, says that the General will have a tremendous ovation from the cities of the Coast.

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PROMOTION EXAMINATIONS.

The Existing System Reviewed and Criticized by An Experienced Educationalist.

Interesting Paper Read Before the Teachers' Association by Miss Amy Spragge.

Promotion examinations in our public schools are, in many ways, very beneficial. They are, indeed, almost essential to the success of our modern education. In the first place pupils are interested in these tests of what they have learned. Properly educated children are taught to work for its own sake, because it is right for them to do it, and for the satisfaction which work well done gives them. To pass the examination is not their aim, but they know that it will come to prove the faithfulness of their work. Systematic and orderly study is insured by examination. Pupils and teachers are prevented from giving all their time to one interesting subject to the exclusion of others. The true teacher will do all he can to help his pupils in their particular branch of education, and will encourage them to study it for themselves. They must be taught, however, that other things are important. The boy who excels in arithmetic will not work less diligently at it because he has thoroughly mastered his spelling lesson, which was perhaps distasteful to him.

Again, pupils are taught by this system to apply what they have learned. Questions are asked in a different way from that to which they have been accustomed. They must apply their knowledge of the principles learned to these questions. This they must do all their lives. Knowledge will do them very little good without the power of applying it. Lastly, teachers are prevented from unfairly promoting pupils or keeping them back and parents are satisfied when their children have an equal chance with others.

The system of promotion by examination is not, however, without its evils. Teaching is often made subordinate to examination instead of examination to teaching. Examinations are good so long as we do not teach expressly for them. When we do this their efficiency is destroyed and we are instructing; not educating. Our mission is to train our pupils to think; to cultivate their minds, and fit them to take their places in the world as men and women; also to awaken in their minds such a love of learning that they will continue to study all their lives. In this way only can they become truly educated men and women. Cramming a certain amount of knowledge will never do this. Examination sometimes becomes a test not of how well a subject is known, but of how much has been crammed in a few weeks. Those things which are most likely to be asked are taught, whether they are the most important or not. Children memorize these often without understanding them and pass their examinations creditably. But what good does it do them? They just as industriously forget during the holidays what they previously crammed. When we read such answers as "Equinoxes are two lines passing through the earth, cutting the equator at right angles," we wonder if that pupil understands geography.

Subjects which are not or cannot be subject to examination are neglected. On our limit table we find drawing, object lessons, calisthenics. Have these in all cases been faithfully taught?

To remedy the defects in what is in many respects a good system, should be our aim. Extension of time for our public school course and between the examinations would help materially. Let our pupils do their work slowly and do it well. The course of study in our schools is divided into eight terms, each term lasting half a year, and at the end of each an examination. A pupil may then go through this course in four years. But how many of them do this? Only the few who seem to learn all subjects easily. The great majority, consisting of those who have not so much ability and those who though really clever are backward in some one subject, must stay in one or more divisions two terms, which means that they go over the work in those divisions twice.

This is not as it should be. The work of each grade should be such that pupils of average ability could pass through that grade in a term without overwork. If our public school course were extended to six years this might easily be possible. The number of grades could be reduced to six and a little more work added to each grade. Examinations could be held annually, and pupils would stay with each teacher a year. The few might be kept back by this extension of time, but it would probably not hurt them, to go more slowly, while the many would enter the High school in about as short a time as at present and would be better prepared for it.

The success of teachers is gauged by the number of pupils they promote. They must now get their pupils ready for semi-annual examinations. During the short term this is especially difficult. If they have not time to teach thoroughly they must cram. With more time conscientious teachers would not do this. They would teach their pupils thoroughly, not to pass an examination, but to know the work, and would find time to teach many other things in which there is no examination, but which are, nevertheless, very important.

In many Eastern schools the plan has been adopted of taking into account the teachers' record of the pupils during the term. Monthly examinations are given by the teachers on the work of the month. Questions, answers and marks are kept until the end of the term and the pupils' promotion depends partly upon these. Proficient pupils who, from nervousness or some other cause, do badly on the final examination, are thus given their due, and pupils with a bad record, who by some means have slipped through, can be kept back.

The papers usually set at examinations might also be improved. Questions should be such as will show whether the grade work has been faithfully done. Examiners often search for obscure questions which they think pupils will not know. For instance, such an example in arithmetic for a Second Primer class as this: "How many days from the 13th of March to the 30th October inclusive." What should children in the Second Primer know about the word "inclusive?" They could not work the problem unless they had been taught examples of that particular kind. Unimportant things, such as obscure names and dates in history, are asked instead of general principles. Catch questions, too—the abomination of faithful teachers—appear on these papers. The teachers of the grades might have some slight power in the choice of questions. A question which the majority of teachers of a certain grade consider unfair should surely not be put on the paper.

For our city schools a uniform system of marking papers should be established. Each teacher might be given all the papers in one subject in one grade. For instance, one teacher might correct history in the second grade in all the schools. This end might also be secured by appointing a committee to consist of one teacher from each school to examine one subject. Each committee should have a convener and they should meet and do the marking together. In this way pupils in all the schools would have an equal chance.

NATIVE TALENT.

A Well Written, Well Played and Well Appreciated Drama by a British Columbian.

At Ladner's Landing, on Friday evening last, "Cleared," a colonial drama of to-day, written by a British Columbian, was presented. About 250 people witnessed the performance and gave the new play a magnificent reception. Nothing was lacking to make the play a success. The scenery was far better than the usual run, the company was thoroughly competent to interpret the author's meaning, and the play was a bright, clever and natural piece of writing.

The stage scene is the store on a Cariboo cattle ranch, and was excellently staged. Arthur Bryant, the hero, is bookkeeper for John Briscoe, the owner, and is engaged to Muriel, Briscoe's daughter. Briscoe sells a mine which he owns, for $2,000,000 and goes to England to live. The engagement between Arthur Bryant and Muriel is broken off through the machinations of Janet Ross, the female villain of the play. There are four characters in the piece that are distinct creations.

In the first act the character of Arthur Bryant was taken by the author (Mr. Lockslay Lucas), and he took it well, in one place bringing down the house with a fine piece of silent acting. Of the rest, Mr. W. H. Newton as John Briscoe, the cattle-king, carried off the honors in the first act. His impersonation of the vulgar, good-hearted millionaire was a real piece of art. Mrs. Prothers as Mrs. Briscoe, was very clever, especially in her by-play, but she labored under the disadvantage of having an unsympathetic part. Mrs. Hinchliffe, as Muriel Briscoe the heroine of the play, gave a very sweet and natural rendering of the part, and looked as pretty as a picture in a gown of white and blue. Miss Ethel Green, as Janet Ross, made good use of her opportunity, and Mr. McNeely, as Jack Nolan the cowboy, gave a very careful and studied rendering of the character.

Act II represents a mining camp on Rocky river, East Kootenay, and the audience broke out into enthusiastic applause when the curtain rose. The scene was capitally staged and well presented by Messrs. McNeely and Lucas. Mr. McNeely was exceptionally good and was a miner to the very life, his by-play with the "grub" being particularly clever. This was the scene of the play as far as scenic effects went.

Act III takes place in Arthur Bryant's rooms in London. The scene between Arthur Bryant and Muriel Briscoe, when they meet again after three years' separation, was very well rendered, and Mrs. Hinchliffe, as Muriel, brought tears to the eyes of many of the audience. Her indignation at Arthur's apparent want of faith was very lifelike, and was not the least bit stagey. Mrs. Green as Mrs. Bryant, Arthur's mother, gave a delightful piece of quiet acting, and Miss Harris and Mr. E. Ladner were acceptable in minor parts.

Act IV represents Mrs. Briscoe's morning room, and is a three character scene. Mrs. Green and Mrs. Prothers were excellent in their respective roles, and Mr. Newton upheld his reputation. In this scene the part of the housemaid was taken by Miss Myra Slogget, and small as it was it was a gem in its way. The company sang "God Save the Queen," after they were recalled in the last act. At the conclusion of the play the author was called for and received a perfect ovation. As he said, in his speech of thanks, he had been fortunate in securing amateurs of so high a standard of ability.

A very enjoyable dance was given after the performance, Shelby's orchestra furnishing the music, and it was early morning before the audience finally dispersed. The play will probably be seen in Victoria next month, and deserves a good house. It is a success in every way.

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Mr. Watson Clark.

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Yours respectfully,
F. S. ROPER, V.S.,
Inspector of Contagious Diseases of Animals.

With reference to the above I beg to thank my numerous customers for their continued support, and to assure them that I shall always make it a point to supply them with perfectly pure milk from healthy cattle. At the same time I wish to express to Mr. F. S. Roper my appreciation of the careful manner in which he and his assistants handled my cows.

WATSON CLARK.
Oaklands Dairy, Nov. 3, 1894. no4-6t

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Licensing Board at its next sitting for a transfer to Phillip Phillips, of Victoria, of the retail liquor license held by me for the sale of fermented and spirituous liquors upon the premises known as the Royal Hotel (Trade Dollar) situate on the northeast corner of Douglas and Fort streets, in the City of Victoria.

Dated the 6th day of November, 1894.
no7-30t S. WHITLEY.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the Licensing Board at its next sitting, for a transfer to Geo. E. Fisher, of Victoria, of my license to sell wines and liquors by retail upon the premises known as the "Elk," formerly the "Standard" Saloon, situate on the southeast corner of Pandora and Douglas Sts., in the city of Victoria.

Dated this 3rd day of November, 1894.
no6-30t LIONEL DICKENSON.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session for an Act to revive the "Pacific Telephone and Cable Act, 1893," and to amend the said Act by extending the time for the commencement and completion of the undertaking authorized by the said Act and otherwise.

Dated at Victoria, the 12th day of October, 1894.

C. DUBOIS MASON,
oc13-6w Solicitor for Applicants.

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HEROINES IN BOOKS.

ELLA WHEELER WILCOX AS A CRITIC OF FICTION.

She Says It Is a Pity to Waste Sympathy on Insensate Heroines of Novels When Our Nearest Neighbor May Be Dying For It.

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If the heroines of popular novels should come to life today, I often wonder how they would be regarded by the men and women who find them so fascinating in books.

Take, for instance, Babbie in Barrie's most entertaining story of "The Little Minister." Select any of our most orthodox New England towns, where the minds of the inhabitants run in deeply worn time honored grooves, and imagine, if we can, a pretty, mysterious, fancifully attired young woman running through the woods, with leaves and berries twined in her hair, dancing to music of her own making.

A strangely attractive creature, without question, as portrayed by the artistic pen of Mr. Barrie. But what clergyman of today would under any combination of circumstances be led into making her his wife? And, if he did, what congregation would accept her? We feel our sympathy and interest centered in this fantastic coquette from the first page in which she appears to the last. But with what coldness, suspicion and severe criticism we should meet her in real life! We adore the little minister for being brave enough to risk name, position and life itself in her behalf, but we would call him a poor, crazed fool were he to do the same thing in our own congregation today.

Take almost any of Ouida's heroines. How alluring they are, how the memory of them haunts us long after we close the covers of the book! What sirens of fascination, what creatures of "subtle charm" for whom men are ready to abandon home and honor! They give no encouragement in look, word or act, yet men follow them from one end of the world to another and die defending the

BEATRICE HARRADEN.

name of the woman who has ruined their peace of mind. A halo of romantic charm surrounds these exquisitely painted heroines, but what a common adventuress, what a vulgar flirt, we would call such a woman in real life! Men fight for her favor, to be sure, but we turn in disgust from the detailed account given in the daily paper, where she figures, or her lover figures, as a corespondent. We were thrilled, moved, intoxicated, by her methods in the novel, however much we disapproved of her, but for the same woman in the divorce court we feel pity and contempt.

Our hearts are torn with anguish over the tragic sorrows of Thomas Hardy's heroine, Tess. We admire her sterling qualities, we respect her patient endurance of her husband's neglect, and we feel that the awful fate which ended her life was cruelly unjust. Her early error we know to have been made through the injury of another, and we despise her husband for his treatment of her.

Yet in real life we should despise the husband who condoned such an error, and we would ignore her sterling qualities and see only the fallen wretch who murdered her betrayer. We would shudder over her punishment, still thinking she had brought it on herself, and we would congratulate the husband upon his escape from a life with such a being.

The whole world has been interested in Miss Harraden's "Ships That Pass In the Night." But I venture to say that not one person in one hundred would have given a second thought to those two most uninteresting people if they had been encountered in real life. The Disagreeable Man we would have let severely alone, and the invalid young woman would have been allowed to entertain herself as she best could without intruding upon our time and attention.

It is a great pity that so much of the world's truest feeling, its sympathy, its broad judgment and its admiration is wasted on books. And at the same time our nearest neighbor may be dying for one spark of the tender pity which we are expending so liberally on the insensate heroine of a novel.

ELLA WHEELER WILCOX.

Points on Decoration.

Do not put anything of a very bright hue in a room where the colorings are dull or old. In a small house use side brackets in the place of chandeliers. If your good taste tells you an ornament is inartistic, throw it away rather than keep it because it "fills up."

Have nothing in your house but what is useful or artistic. A few good pieces of furniture have a better effect than all the useless bric-a-brac in creation. Never hang a picture on your walls unless it is a veritable work of art.

Do not put a Moorish lantern, a French screen and a Dutch stove in close juxtaposition unless you want the room to look like a museum or a curiosity shop. Observe "the fitness of things."

MAUD J. CHILTON.

WOMAN'S WORLD IN PARAGRAPHS.

Seeking Admission to a Jesuit College and What Came of It.

A year and a half ago Miss Lida Rose McCabe, the brilliant young newspaper woman, asked to be admitted to attend the lectures on moral philosophy in St. Xavier's Jesuit college, New York city. The lecturer is Father Halpin, a profound scholar and one of the most noted logicians among the Catholic professors of America. Professor Halpin did not know about it. He had no objection personally, but would have to consult higher authorities than his own. At last it was agreed that Miss McCabe herself should call on Archbishop Corrigan and obtain his permission to listen to the lectures. She did this. Miss McCabe is eloquent of tongue as well as of pen. It required only a little talk on her part to convince the archbishop that she was thoroughly in earnest, that her mind was capable of grasping the lectures at the college, and lastly that it could do no possible harm for her to go to the lecture room and sit quietly listening. She would not be a woman then and there, but a student. She followed the course that winter with the approval of the professor and with profit to herself. Toward the end of the college year more ladies joined the class. If it was well to admit one woman, it would be better to admit still more. The permission extended was not withdrawn in the fall of 1893, and the ladies, young and old, crowded to hear Father Halpin's powerful lectures on mental and moral science. At this time there are no less than 500 women taking the full course. They cannot have certificates or diplomas, but they can get the instruction. Since then Father Doonan, professor of moral philosophy in the Jesuit college of Boston, has likewise opened his course of instruction to women. Bishop Keane of the new Catholic university of Washington informed Miss McCabe in an interview that he was in favor of throwing open every door of learning in that institution to women on the same terms as to men, but finances would not permit it at present. Just so; just so it always was. Provide for men first and let the women go without.

It is not because women wish to become "mannish" that they are practicing gymnastic exercises and going in for physical culture. It is a woman's duty as it is a man's to perfect herself physically. There is nothing admirable in weakness of any kind. The only thing that is admirable is strength—strength of mind and body.

A recent private letter from Mrs. Loulie M. Gordon of Atlanta says: "We are so anxious to develop the talents of our southern girls and women, for they are artistic, talented and practical, with all their sentiment. We feel sure that our exposition here will tempt them to do their best. Our women are very timid about going before the world, for men have objected to it, but it is beginning to be different. Our men and women begin to realize that God given talents should be used to win bread as well as to bring delight." Right you are, Mrs. Gordon. Southern girls and women are among the most gifted and successful breadwinners in New York city.

Mrs. Loulie M. Gordon is a member of the mayor's reception committee for entertaining the International League of Press Clubs during its visit to Atlanta.

More women voted than ever before in the municipal elections in Kansas this spring, and the vote of the Colorado women was heavier than had been expected. This does not look as if women did not want to vote.

Mrs. Mary H. Eccles is a druggist of Brooklyn who protested to the excise board against any more saloons being established close to her store. One sympathizes with Mrs. Eccles.

The more independent financially of men women become, the more they will love them for themselves alone.

The admirable woman's department of the admirable Rural New Yorker has a new editor, Miss Bertha Goss, a young newspaper woman with a promising career before her. I congratulate both The Rural and Miss Goss.

It is amusing to see what subterfuges men are reduced to in order to deprive women of their rights as citizens. Miss Mary E. Farson, a Chicago school principal, presented her name for jury duty to one of the courts. The judge, a Mr. Burke, "excused" her from serving when she did not ask to be excused. Thus he shuffled around the square up and down issue of whether a woman is a citizen or not. It is laid down as a principle by some of the best lawyers in America that a woman is eligible for any office or appointment under the laws of the United States, although special laws may be required to enable her to vote. This principle has never been successfully refuted. It would be an excellent thing if women did serve as jurymen in cases where their own sex are concerned, and there is nowhere so much need of it as in cases involving the relations of men and women. Men always stand together and protect one another. It is time for women to do the same.

What shall an untrained girl do to earn her living? Get training of some kind as quickly as possible.

Captain Seth Barclay of the sloop Marion broke his leg out at sea. A heavy squall was on at the time, which knocked down his daughter Sadie, a red checked girl of 18, who was with him on the trip, and sprained her right arm. Captain Barclay was a clam fisher. Miss Barclay helped her father to his cabin and then sailed the sloop to port alone with her right arm in a sling. She managed to navigate the craft to its destination, 20 miles away, in the midst of a furious wind. Unaided, she dropped anchor in the mouth of the Connecticut river, and then with only one arm and hand sculled a little boat into Middletown to sell her load of clams and get a doctor for her father. We ought to have medals awarded by congress for such bravery and skill.

ELIZA ARCHARD CONNER.

THE CITY MARKETS.

Welcome Importations From Australia—Preparations for the Christmas Trade.

From now until after Christmas there will no doubt be more activity shown in city business. Heavy orders for Christmas stocks have been and are being given, but, of course, the goods have not yet begun to arrive in any great quantities. Trade has been steady during the week and there are signs of the prices of general groceries going up. On the arrival of the Australian steamer a few days ago the market was supplied with the first frozen mutton received this season and also the first lot of rabbits from Australia, besides a quantity of tropical fruits. The mutton is being sold at eight cents per pound when the half carcase is taken, while the rabbits bring 30 cents apiece by the crate of 50. In the wheat and grain market, the principal item of news is the exportation of 1,000 tons of flour from the Victoria mills to the Orient. Quotations are about the same, some brands of flour being slightly on the decline. Dairy produce is poor in supply, eggs being very scarce and advancing in price. Bacon and hams are also advancing, the rise being from one to one and one-half cents per pound.

Current retail quotations are as follows:

FLOUR—Ogilvie's (Hungarian) per bbl	$ 5.00
Lake of the Woods (Hungarian)	5.00
Premier	5.00
Three Star	5.00
Victoria	5.00
Lion	4.00
Royal	4.50
Portland roller	4.50
Snow Flake	4 50
Salem	4.50
Wheat, per ton	25.00@30.00
Oats, per con	25.00@30.00
Barley, per ton	32.00@35.00
Middlings, per ton	30.00@32.50
Bran, per ton	20.00@25 00
Ground Feed, per ton	25.00@30.00
Corn, whole	45.00
" cracked	50.00
Cornmeal, per 10 lbs.	40
Oatmeal, per 10 lbs	50
Rolled Oats, per lb	6
Potatoes, per lb	1¼
Bonapartes, per lb	1¼
Cabbage, per lb.	3@4
Cauliflower, per doz	1 00
Hay, baled, per ton	15@18.00
Straw, per bale	1.00
Green peppers, per lb	10@12
" " cured, per lb	4@ 5
Celery, per bunch	20@25
Onions, per lb	0@05
" Silver, per lb	.06
Eggs, Island, per dozen	50
" imported	30
Butter, fresh	25@35
" Creamery, per 3 lbs.	1 00
Hams, American, per lb	20@22
" Canadian "	18
" Boneless "	20
Bacon, American, per lb	20@22
" Rolled "	14@16
" Long clear "	15
" Canadian "	18
Shoulders, per lb	14
Lard "	15@20
Golden Cottolene, per lb	15
Meats—Beef per lb	7@15
Sides "	7@9
Mutton, per lb	7@12½
Pork, fresh, per lb	10@12½
Chickens, per pair	1.00@2.00
Venison, per lb	8@10
Turkey per lb	18@25
Geese per lb	16@25
Pigeons, per brace	25@35
Duck, teal, per brace	25@35
" mallard, per brace	75 @1.00
Grouse, per brace	75
Fish—Salmon (smoked) per lb	15@20
Halibut	8@10
Cod, per lb	6@8
Small fish	5@6
Smelts, per lb	8@10
Flounders, per lb	6@8
Fruits—Apples per lb	4@5
Oranges (Australian) per doz	25@30
Lemons (California) "	40@50
" (Sicily) "	40@50
Pine Apples, apiece	35@40
Honolulu Bananas, per doz	25@40
Tomatoes, per box	75@1 00
Pears, per lb	5
Cranberries, per gallon	65@75

THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

TO THE EDITOR:—At the last meeting of the city council Chief Engineer Deasy made a special report to that body in which, as recorded by you, he declares that his health has been broken, and on the authority of his medical advisers rates himself as a confirmed invalid. This condition he attributes to the frequent "calls out." In other cities where they have as many such "calls out" in one day, perhaps, as occur here in a month, firemen make choice of the profession and pursue it as a means of livelihood.

Whatever sympathy one may have for any citizen in failing health, such kindly and very proper feeling should not lead us to underestimate the danger threatening by reason of such incapacitated chief officer, or to deter us from asking the question, can our aldermanic board be justified in the further retention of the services of an invalid in a position where, of all others, soundness of body and physical and intellectual activity are so essential to the performance of duty? INSURANCE.

Salt rheum with its intense itching, dry, hot skin is cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, because it purifies the blood.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

In the matter of the Goods of Robert Williams, Deceased, and in the matter of the "Official Administrator's Act."

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Tyrwhitt Drake, bearing date the 20th day of October, 1894, I was appointed Administrator of the Estate and Effects of Robert Williams, late of the City of Victoria.

The Creditors of the Deceased are, on or before the 10th day of December, 1894, to send by post, prepaid to the undersigned, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts (verified by statutory declaration), and the names of the securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof all claimants will be peremptorily excluded from any benefit of the said Estate.

All persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

W. MONTEITH,
Official Administrator.

Dated this 20th day of October, A.D. 1894.
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PUBLIC NOTICE.

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LAND REGISTRY ACT.—Subdivision No. 5 of Suburban Five-Acre Lot VIII., Victoria City.—A certificate of indefeasible title to the above subdivision will be issued to Maurice Humber on the 19th day of November, 1894, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein, or some part thereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Deputy Registrar-General

Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 10th August 1894. an15-3m

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"	Berlin	Dec 5
"	New York	Dec 12
"	Paris	Dec 19
"	Berlin	Dec 26
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"	Anchoria	Dec 8
"	Circassia	Dec 22
"	Ethiopia	Dec 29
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"	Spree	Nov 27
"	Lahn	Dec 4
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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

PRIVATE BILLS.

Notice is hereby given that the time limited by the Rules of the House for receiving petitions for Private Bills will expire on Monday, the 26th day of November, 1894.

Private Bills must be presented on or before Monday, the third day of December, 1894.

Dated this 8th October, 1894.

THORNTON FELL,
Clerk of the House.
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TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery for the Year 1894.

FALL ASSIZES.

*Nelson	Monday	10th September
*Donald	Monday	17th September
Clinton	Thursday	20th September
Richfield	Monday	24th September
Kamloops	Monday	1st October
Vernon	Monday	8th October
Lytton	Friday	12th October
New Westminster	Tuesday	6th November
Vancouver	Monday	12th November
Victoria	Tuesday	20th November
Nanaimo	Tuesday	27th November

*Special Assizes adjourned from the Spring by Mr. Justice Walkem and now fixed for these dates. au16

Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry.

GLANCE AT THIS MAP

Of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway and note its connections with all transcontinental lines at St. Paul and Omaha, and remember when going east that its trains are lighted with electricity and heated by steam. Its equipment is superb. Elegant Buffet, Library, Smoking, and Sleeping cars, with free reclining chairs. Each sleeping car berth has an electric reading lamp, and its dining cars are the best in the world. Some other lines are longer than this, but none are shorter, and no other offers the above luxurious accommodations. These are sufficient reasons for the popularity of "The Milwaukee." Coupon ticket agents in every railroad office will give you further information, or address

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Commencing Aug. 25th, passengers for Trail Creek, Nakusp, New Denver, Revelstoke and all points on the Canadian Pacific Railway, will leave Spokane on Saturdays at 7 a. m., connecting at Northport with steamer (same day) at 1 p.m.

Passengers by steamer from above points arrive in Spokane same evening.

Passengers for Kettle River and Boundary Creek connect at Marcus with stage on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. ja11

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.

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NOTICE.

Persons owning property on streets along which sewers are now being laid are requested to furnish information at the office of the City Engineer as to the manner in which they wish their premises connected with the public sewers.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

September 10, 1894. se11-tf

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Board of Licensing Commissioners in and for the City of Victoria, at its next sitting, for a transfer of my retail liquor license to sell wines, spirits and other liquors at the premises known as the Albion Saloon, situate on the northwest corner of Yates street and Waddington Alley, in the City of Victoria, to Henry Hutber and Charles Dixon, both of the City of Victoria.

Dated the 7th day of November, 1894.

HENRY HARRIS.
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RAILWAYS.

Esquimalt & Nanaimo R'y

TIME TABLE No. 21,

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Thursday, Nov. 1, 1894. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

NORTH BOUND (Read Down) No. 2 Pass't. Daily		No. 4 Pass't. Satur'y		Mls.	STATIONS.	Mls.	SOUTH BOUND (Read Up) No. 1 Pass't. Daily		No. 3 Pass't. Satur'y	
A.M.		P.M.					P.M.		P.M.	
De. 8.00		De. 2.00	1		Victoria	78	Ar. 12.24		Ar. 5.31	
" 8.04		" 2.04	4	7	Russel's	77	" 12.20		" 5.26	
" 8.14		" 2.14	4	7	Esquimalt	74	" 12.10		" 5.16	
" 8.39		" 2.39	11	10	Goldstream	67	" 11.45		" 4.51	
" 9.14		" 3.10	20	9	Summit Siding	58	" 11.10		" 4.22	
" 9.34		" 3.26	28	6	Shawnigan Lake	50	" 10.50		" 3.58	
" 9.44		" 3.46	31	7	Cobble Hill	47	" 10.40		" 3.46	
" 9.57		" 4.01	35	6	McPherson's	43	" 10.27		" 3.31	
10.07		" 4.11	38	5	Koksilah	40	" 10.17		" 3.21	
" 10.22		" 4.26	43	6	Duncan's	35	" 10.12		" 3.16	
" 10.32		" 4.36	49	6	Quamichan	29	" 10.02		" 3.06	
" 10.48		" 4.48	52	6	Cherry Bank	23	" 9.46		" 2.44	
" 11.09		" 5.05	59	5	Chemainus	18	" 9.26		" 2.23	
Ar. 11.50		" 5.46	73	19	Oyster Bay Siding	5	" 8.15		" 1.45	
De. 11.50				5	Nanaimo		De. 8.34		Ar. 1.30	
Ar. 12.14		Ar. 6.00	78		Wellington		Ar. 8.25		De. 1.30	
P.M.		P.M.					Ar. 8.10		P.M.	

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PERSONAL.

G. T. Baldwin, of Vancouver, and G. T. Watson, of Toronto, are guests at the Driard.

J. Williams, Duncan, and C. J. Carr, Seattle, are among the arrivals at the New England.

F. C. Wellburn, Duncan; John Hilbert, Nanaimo; Joseph Dupuis and Mrs. Dupuis and E. Burns, Wellington, are at the Oriental.

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SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

At a meeting of the British Columbia Rugby Union held at the Hotel Vancouver on Tuesday, it was decided that the Mainland vs. Island match would be played at Nanaimo.

The international Rugby match will be played at Portland this year.

The Nanaimo Rifle Association have answered that Thanksgiving Day, suggested by the Victoria Rifle Club, will suit their convenience for the proposed match between those two organizations.

The billiard match between Schaefer and Ives at New York was continued last night, and resulted the score of 282 to 632 in favor of Ives. The average of the play was, Shaefer, 23 1-5, and Ives 63 1-5. The highest runs were, Shaefer, 121, and Ives, 223.

THE regular monthly meeting of the Sons of Erin Society was held in Pioneer hall last evening. There was a large attendance and much enthusiasm was manifested in the proceedings. Messrs. R. S. Day, Jas. McCorkal and M. Morrissey were elected members, and after the usual preliminary business was disposed of refreshments were served and a smoking concert then held. Mr. McDowell contributed to the concert's programme some pretty selections on the guitar, followed by an able address by Mr. Denis Murphy on "Irishmen Abroad," in which he paid eloquent tribute to a few of the many brilliant Irishmen who made their mark in the colonies. Several songs and recitations brought a very pleasant evening to a close. During the evening the secretary reported that the following books had been purchased and received by the committee appointed for the purpose: "Ireland Since the Union," by Justin McCarthy; "Two Chapters of Irish History," by T. Dunbar Ingram; "Compendium of the History of Ireland," by John Reynolds; "The Kingdom of Ireland," by C. G. Walpole; "Songs of Irish Wit and Humor," by A. P. Groves, and "Anecdotes of the Irish Bar."

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"CHINA HAS MANY LIVES."

Japan's Series of Victories May Fail to Result as So Confidently Expected.

Many Weary Months of War Yet in Prospect—Why China's Fleet Hides.

Advices by the Northern Pacific steamship Sikh, which arrived at Victoria last evening, show that in the cities of Japan there continues to be a dearth of reliable information as to the progress of the war, though at the time of sailing important news was expected as the result of Count Oyama's advance with his army division within the Gulf of Pechili. If an expedition to Pekin is to made at all this season it will be upon Oyama that the burden of responsibility will fall. The impression is, however, gaining in Japan amongst foreigners that for want of ability on the part of the Japanese to follow up their successes they continually lose much of the advantage gained. While it appears certain that the two army corps, as well as the navy, are about to deal a succession of rapid blows from several directions, the Kobe News, in a well considered article on the situation, says:

"However serious the results to China of the attacks of her foe, they cannot be fatal to the Middle Kingdom under many months of wearying combat, unless domestic troubles cap foreign defeats. Japan may be successful at every point without humiliating her unwieldy neighbor to the dust as it is wished she should be humbled. The Shanghai Morning Journal declares bluntly the belief that Japan cannot succeed in the task she so lightly undertook. Others are much more hesitant than they were. Japan has disclosed unsuspected powers and China only deplorable weaknesses. It is still unlikely in our view that Japan will reach Pekin this season; and it is more unlikely that if she does she can even then obtain all she wants. China has many lives."

Japan is commended for the splendid earnestness she has shown in sinking all the fierce party feeling for the purpose of upholding the government in the war, and this unity of purpose is sharply contrasted with the divided councils, private rivalries and personal animosities heard of from Pekin. The Japanese army and navy thus are made to feel encouraged to fight for a country that backs them so well, and that expresses its recognition of their achievements as the parliament did for them. The addresses to the emperor at Hiroshima were no formal and empty words. Some thirty millions probably in round figures has already been expended out of the reserves. An equal sum has been floated as a loan, and some ninety millions remain to be collected in like manner. The expenditure day by day is still increasing; the country must inevitably feel the strain greater with each passing week. There is no flinching, however; Japan has determined to seek no assistance abroad, and though business men deplore the situation, they hope always for the best. China is to be made to pay all the expenses now incurred and a heavy indemnity besides, she is to be despoiled of certain of her possessions and to provide a practically unlimited field for Japanese trading enterprises. Formosa is becoming more and more an object of desire, and some insist upon one province at least of the Middle Kingdom in addition. So Japan shall become all powerful, they argue, in Eastern Asia, and she shall compel the greedy powers of the West to stay their hands. At the same time China is not to be received again as a friend; she must always be regarded, and presumably treated, as an implacable foe. As a possible alternative to Japan's unquestioned supremacy, alliances might, it is even suggested, be possible with England and Russia if made on a footing of absolute equality.

There is talk in Seoul of employing European advisers in the chief government departments. The decision to select Japanese for the posts has not been acted on, and no step has been taken towards giving it effect except in the case of the army office, which has asked, it is believed, for an officer to be appointed.

A large arsenal is to be established at Kure at an estimated expenditure of 1,000,000 yen. The works must prove of immediate benefit if completed within six months, as is announced, and in the future will be an additional source of strength to Japan by rendering her more completely independent of foreign war material.

At the opening of the Diet, the Emperor in his address said: "We regret that China has neglected the duty of maintaining the peace of the East in association with our Empire, and that at length affairs reached the present state. Nevertheless, hostility having already commenced, we must not stop at any half-way accomplishment of our object. We, therefore, wish our people in the Empire to act in unity, to restore peace to the East by a triumphant accomplishment of the whole, and to spread the glory of the Empire abroad. We commend it to every one of you to work diligently for these ends."

Another, and a rather new statement of the cause and purpose of the war, is the following from the Jiji Shimpo:

"Japan has undertaken the present war with the intent of forcibly putting an end to such seclusion (as China has hitherto kept up); to chastise the perverse and bigoted ignorance of the country; and to illuminate its darkness with the lamp of civilization. The object of the war is thus to secure a permanent benefit for Japan and England."

While cowardice has been charged or inferred as the cause of the mysterious seclusion of the Chinese fleet, it is said that the real reason is one even more difficult of dealing with, being the lack of ammunition for the big guns, while there is also a sad lack of seamen. Betrayed by those that he trusted most the Viceroy Li is believed to have none of the stores in reserve on which he confidently counted. Rifles are lacking in some instances, cartridges in others, and what there are of the latter seem mostly to belong to a different patterned weapon to that in use.

The fact that Japan, after having, as is claimed, thoroughly crippled the Peiyang fleet, did not at once proceed to bombard Port Arthur and while barring the Yalu to Chinese reinforcements take all available troops from Korea and Japan to be hurried to Pekin, is now considered an evidence that their fleet was not as serviceable after the fight as they have officially declared. Indeed, fishermen arriving from Korea, who witnessed the fight, persist in declaring that the Japanese lost two ships during the fight, and four afterwards. They say that the Japanese seized twelve of their fisher junks, took them ashore, filled them with hundreds of bodies, and then, after saturating them with kerosene, burned them. For help rendered and fish bought, the Japanese paid in little white coins. The men from the seized junks have been arriving in batches, and all confirm this story in every detail.

MARINE MOVEMENTS.

Arrival of the N P. Steamship "Sikh" After a Rough Voyage From Yokohama.

Active Competition For Oriental Trade—The "Prince Rupert's" Purser at Vancouver.

Evidences of the rough weather experienced on her voyage across from Japan and China were plainly visible on the Northern Pacific liner Sikh (Captain Rowley) when she arrived in port last evening. Her pilot bridge was partially gone, the top of one of her ventilators was missing and the second engineer's cabin forward—amidships—had been stove in. All this destruction was done on the 10th inst., when the vessel shipped several big seas which also nearly carried away one of her port boats, for it was completely washed out of the davits and only hung by a few ropes attached. In the engineer's cabin a clean sweep of all the furniture was made. Dr. George Duncan examined the ship as Dominion health officer after she docked at the outer wharf. Of the big cargo of tea, silk, etc., which the steamer brought 400 tons were landed here for Victoria. Twelve out of the seventeen Chinese passengers aboard the steamer were destined for this city. Madame L. le Grande, Miss Kerr and Mrs. Young were the only saloon passengers who arrived on the ship. The Sikh left Hongkong October 18, Shanghai October 22, Kobe October 26, and Yokohama October 30. From the last mentioned date until the 10th instant a succession of strong N.E. gales with heavy cross seas were experienced, but from the 10th on moderate weather was encountered.

STEAMSHIP COMPETITION.

The Hyogo News, a Kobe paper of a recent date, says: The war between China and Japan has resulted in a spirited competition between the Canadian line of steamers and the Pacific Mail. With the commencement of hostilities in the Orient the big packing companies throughout the country began shipping canned goods to Yokohama in large quantities, as canned goods are an important item in the list of army supplies and always find a ready market. The Canadian line of steamers reduced the rate on canned goods at the outset, and has recently been handling heavy shipments from the packing houses in Omaha and Chicago. To divert this traffic to San Francisco the Pacific Mail has announced a cut in the tariff on canned meats from $12 to $5 per ton. The new rate has gone into effect and will, no doubt, be felt in San Francisco for some time. Local dealers are making up large orders of canned meats for shipment to Yokohama, and it is believed that canned goods will form the principal part of each out bound steamer's cargo for the next several months. Dodge, Sweeney & Co. and other local dealers who have been expecting to reap a rich harvest out of the war, are being benefited by the cut rate, but they have a grievance. They say that the steamship company is making a rate for packers in Omaha and Chicago which permits them to get their goods to Japan as cheaply as the San Francisco dealers. This, however, is denied by the officials of the Pacific Mail.

THE PURSER EXPLAINS.

Mr. Casperson, who was to be and was for a short time purser of the new C.P.R. steamer Prince Rupert, arrived yesterday at Vancouver. In conversation with a COLONIST representative, he said the Prince Rupert was fully up to all requirements and had started for the Pacific coast when recalled at Teneriffe. Her crew were all put ashore at Plymouth where thousands, Mr. Casperson says, inspected the vessel. The steamer's next commission is yet unknown, though it is said she will next leave Plymouth for Halifax.

INCOMING SHIPS.

The ships Saga and Yosemite, in ballast, dropped anchor in the Royal Roads last evening. The Saga is 90 days out from Rio de Janeiro and has come here for orders. Like the Yosemite, she had an uneventful trip here. The Yosemite, however, is from San Francisco, and is here for coal. Shortly after their arrival the tug Mogul came in with the ship Chas. E. Kenny, but proceeded to Nanaimo without stopping.

MARINE NOTES.

Some thirty or forty tons of Haddington island stone was put aboard the steamship Umatilla prior to her departure for San Francisco last evening. It is understood that this is a sample shipment for trial in the Golden Gate city. The saloon passengers who left here on the same ship are: R. H. Hirsch, W. H. Rain, E P. Tomkinson and wife, Miss G. Healy, Miss S. Cameron, Thomas Adair, R. Davidson, J. T. Gemmnill, J. Hyland and Miss H. Saunders.

A small schooner painted white, which anchored off McNeill bay on Tuesday evening, is in great danger of being driven on the rocks by the storm. He anchor dragged yesterday morning but caught again when the schooner was about 100 yards from the rocks.

With the exception of seven men left in charge of the wreck, all the crew of the wrecked steamship Crown of England have been taken to Santa Monica. After attending a court of inquiry to be held there today or to morrow, the crew will be taken North.

The schooners Kilmeny and Beatrice returned from the West Coast last evening, whither they had gone with their Indian sealing crews. Both report rough weather.

Some freight for transhipment to Australia on the steamship Miowera was landed on the outer wharf by the City of Seattle last evening.

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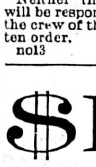

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Conditions of sale and full particulars as to the property may be obtained at the office of the Montreal Safe Deposit Company, or from Messrs. Corbould & McColl, Solicitors, New Westminster, B.C.

GORDON E. CORBOULD,
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New Westminster,
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